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For: NOVEL BENZIMIDAZOLE DERIVATIVES
AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS
COMPRISING THESE COMPOUNDS

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated September 18, 2007, the following amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted in the above-identified U.S. patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.